

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STAFF HEARING OFFICER

RESOLUTION NO. 008-12 1111 E. CABRILLO BLVD MODIFICATIONS MARCH 21, 2012

APPLICATION OF LANE KRABACHER, AGENT FOR HDG ASSOCIATES, 1111 E. CABRILLO BLVD., APN 017-352-004, HRC-1 AND SD-3 ZONES, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: OCEAN RELATED COMMERCIAL/MEDIUM HIGH RESIDENTIAL (15-27 UNITS/ACRE) (MST2012-00029)

The proposed project involves minor exterior alterations to Hyatt Santa Barbara.

The discretionary application required for this project is a Modification to allow the change of an existing window to a door within the required 20-foot front setback from Corona del Mar Drive (SBMC §28.22.060 & §28.92.110).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) & 15305 (Minor Alterations in Land Use Limitations).

WHEREAS, the Staff Hearing Officer has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

WHEREAS, no one appeared to speak either in favor or in opposition of the application thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record:

- 1. Staff Report with Attachments, March 14, 2012.
- 2. Site Plans.
- 3. Correspondence received in opposition to the project:
 - a. Paula Westbury, Santa Barbara, CA.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Staff Hearing Officer:

I. Approved the modifications making the following findings and determinations that the Modifications are consistent with the purposes and intent of the Zoning Ordinance and are necessary to secure appropriate improvements on the lot. The proposed change from window to door is appropriate as a minor enhancement to the hotel, providing additional access to an existing patio area, without detracting from the desirability of the shoreline area as a place to visit.

This motion was passed and adopted on the 21st day of March 2012, by the Staff Hearing Officer of the City of Santa Barbara.

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I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the City of Santa Barbara Staff Hearing Officer at its meeting of the above date.

Kathleen Goo, Staff Hearing Officer Secretary

Date

3/23/12

PLEASE BE ADVISED:

- 1. This action of the Staff Hearing Officer can be appealed to the Planning Commission or the City Council within ten (10) days after the date the action was taken by the Staff Hearing Officer.
- 2. If the scope of work exceeds the extent described in the Modification request or that which was represented to the Staff Hearing Officer at the public hearing, it may render the Staff Hearing Officer approval null and void.
- 3. If you have any existing zoning violations on the property, other than those included in the conditions above, they must be corrected within thirty (30) days of this action.
- 4. Subsequent to the outcome of any appeal action your next administrative step should be to apply for Historic Landmarks Commission (HLC) approval and then a building permit.
- 5. PLEASE NOTE: A copy of this resolution shall be reproduced on the first sheet of the drawings submitted with the application for a building permit. The location, size and design of the construction proposed in the application for the building permit shall not deviate from the location, size and design of construction approved in this modification.
- 6. Notice of Approval Time Limits: The Staff Hearing Officer's action approving the Performance Standard Permit or Modifications shall expire two (2) years from the date of the approval, per SBMC §28.87.360, unless:
 - a. A building permit for the construction authorized by the approval is issued within twenty four months of the approval. (An extension may be granted by the Staff Hearing Officer if the construction authorized by the permit is being diligently pursued to completion.) or;
 - b. The approved use has been discontinued, abandoned or unused for a period of six months following the earlier of:
 - i. an Issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the use, or;
 - ii. one (1) year from granting the approval.